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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 26, 2011 please amend the above identified application as follows:

- **Amendment to the claims** begins on page 2 of this paper
- **Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.